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Mr. Dean C. Logan

Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk

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Attn: Alex Olvera, Election Preparation

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Dear Mr. Logan:

Stanley L. Johnson, Jr.

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Herein is provided a modified version of the County Superintendent's Order of Election for a Special Election to fill a vacancy to be held on or about July 25, 2023, in the Claremont Unified School District (USD). Please disregard the previous version you received.

Should you have questions regarding the above or require additional information, please contact me at (562) 922-6110.

Sincerely,

Octavio Castelo (Mar 23, 2023 15:24 PDT)

Octavio Castelo, Director Business Advisory Services

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Enclosures

cc:

Ms. Karen Kimmel, Los Angeles County Office of Education

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LOS ANGELES COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION

ORDER OF SPECIAL GOVERNING BOARD ELECTION TO FILL A VACANCY IN THE CLAREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

JULY 25, 2023

Pursuant to Education Code (EC) §5091(c)(2), it is hereby ordered by the Los Angeles County Superintendent of Schools that a special election be held in the Claremont Unified School District (USD) to fill a governing board member vacancy whose term was to expire on the second Friday in December next succeeding the Fall 2026 election. Pursuant to EC §5340, such election for two or more districts of any type to be held in the same district or area on the same date shall be consolidated.

The vote centers for the election shall be open as required during the identified voting period pursuant to California Elections Code sections 4007 and 14401.

The Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk (Registrar-Recorder) will perform all the duties, as required, incident to the preparation for and the conducting of the above-mentioned election. The Claremont USD will pay their prorated cost of this election. The Registrar-Recorder will canvass the returns of this election. All matters pertaining to the conduct of this election shall be under the provisions of the appropriate sections of the Education and Election Codes.

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ELECTION INFO

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CLAREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

RESOLUTION NO. 10-2023

WHEREAS, Board member, Steven Llanusa, resigned on December 10, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education ("Board") pursuant to Education Code 5091(a) was required within 60 days of the vacancy to either order an election or make a provisional appointment to fill the vacancy for a term through December 2024; and

WHEREAS, at a board meeting on January 18, 2023, the Board voted to provisionally appoint former Board member, Hilary LaConte, to fill Mr. Llanusa's seat in Trustee Area 4; and

WHEREAS, on February 17, 2023, a petition calling for a special election was submitted to the Los Angeles County Office of Education ("LACOE") to remove Mrs. LaConte and hold a special election to fill Mr. Llanusa's seat; and

WHEREAS, by letter dated March 1, 2023, LACOE informed staff that it had been determined as of February 28, 2023, that the petition had a sufficient number of valid signatures to require a special election pursuant to Education Code 5091(c); and

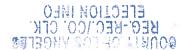
WHEREAS, pursuant to Education Code 5091(c), the election must be held no later than 130 days of February 28, 2023, unless an established election date, as defined by Elections Code 1000, occurs within 150 days of February 28, then the LACOE Superintendent may order the special election to be conducted on the established election date; and

WHEREAS, if the Board intends to order an election to fill Mr. Llanusa's seat, Trustee Area 4, it should do so promptly.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Claremont Unified School District Board of Education as follows:

- 1. The Board adopts the foregoing recitals as true and correct.
- 2. The Board requests LACOE's Superintendent order the election to fill Mr. Llanusa's seat, in Trustee Area 4, on July 25, 2023, or an appropriate alternate date to be determined by LACOE and the Registrar Recorder.
- 3. The Board directs that two copies of this Resolution shall be filed with the LACOE Superintendent and the Registrar Recorder, by the Superintendent on or before the time specified by law and to take all steps necessary to carry out the provisions of this Resolution.

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The foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Board of the District on the 16th day of March 2023, by the following vote:

Ayes: 4 Noes: 4 Absent: 4 Abstain: 6

ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this 16th day of March 2023.

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CLAREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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President

Attest:

Secretary

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